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U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number, EXTENSION OF TIME TRANSPORT 37 CFR 1.136(a) **Docket Number (Optional)** 60674(49381) **FY 2005** (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) **Application Number** 10/772,771-Conf. #3540 February 4, 2004 Filed SHEET FEEDING APPARATUS, IMAGE READING APPARATUS AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS **Art Unit** 3654 R. Kumar Examiner This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): <u>Fee</u> **Small Entity Fee** One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120 \$60 \$ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450 \$225 450.00 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 \$510 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2160 \$1080 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 04-1105 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.

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